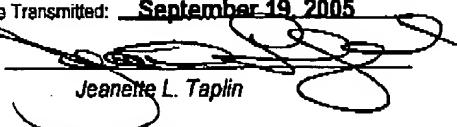


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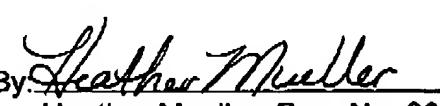
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In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed August 19, 2005 (copy enclosed), attached please find a corrected copy of the **IN THE CLAIMS** section (namely pages 2-5) of the Amendment originally faxed on June 6, 2005. The edits are contained solely in the captions following the claim numbers, in particular Claims 1-10 and 19-20.

It is believed no fee is due for this response, however, if the Examiner disagrees, please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2179. Please charge this deposit account, at any time during the pendency of this application, for any additional fees required, or credit any overpayment, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.25.

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